In the specification:

Summary of the Invention: Please cancel paragraph 3 on page 3, of Applicants' first response, describing an assembly method, per the Examiner's requirement.

Detailed Description of Various Embodiments: please replace paragraph 2 on page 22 with the following:

The antenna of an implantable medical device of the present invention may be advantageously enlarged so as to circle the perimeter of the IMD. This allows for a greater range of sensitivity to facilitate IMD telemetry. According to one approach, the antenna may be implemented integrally with the flexible substrate 70, either as a routed antenna or as a coil 701 laminated into the flexible substrate 70.

Drawings:

Attached herewith is the drawing for Figure 13 showing proposed changes, as suggested by the Examiner, in red for approval by the Examiner per 37 CFR 1.121(d).

Filed separately with a transmittal letter addressed the Official Draftsperson, per MPEP §6.40 are corrected drawings for Figures 4, 11A, 11B, and 12, as set forth in Applicant's request for corrected drawings filed on 5/28/02, and approved by the Examiner. Duplicate corrected drawings are attached herein for reference.

In the claims:

Please **CANCEL** claims 29 and 42-49 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.

Please **AMEND** the claims as follows:

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